Persistent ISR Planning and Direction

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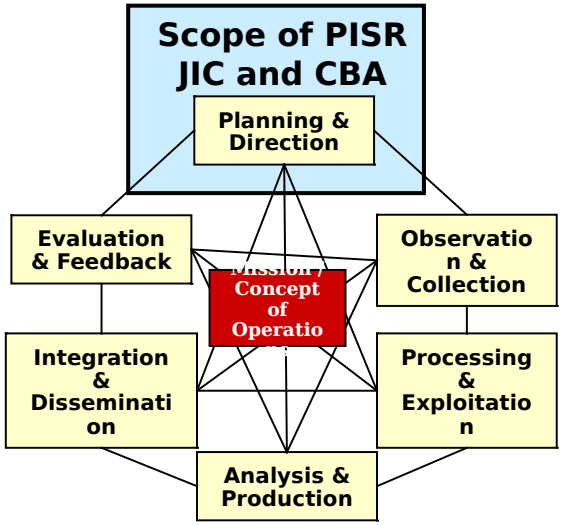
Overview of Concept

- Military Problem
  - The JTF Commander requires the ability to detect, identify and characterize change in the structure, status and behavior of elusive targets.
  - Persistence is needed to improve the timeliness and precision of data, thus increasing the likelihood that desired intelligence will be obtained.
- Scope
  - Organizational scope: JTF Commander/staff
  - Functional scope: Planning and Direction



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- **Proposed Solution**
  - **Central Idea: ISR effectiveness and persistence against an elusive target can be increased through the integrated, synchronized management of planning and direction of ISR activities.**
  - **Enabling capabilities:**
    - **Integrated planning and prioritization**
    - **Multi-levevel tasking**
    - **Global visibility of ISR requirements, assets and resources**
    - **Automated interfaces, including machine-to-machine interactions**
    - **Training and education of ISR operators, analysts and collection managers**

Way Ahead

- 4 January 2007 – Anticipated JROC approval of Persistent ISR JIC and CBA Study Plan
- 16 January 2007 – First meeting of the Persistent ISR Working Group
- 28 February 2007 – Draft FAA complete
- 29 May 2007 – Draft FNA complete
- 18 July 2007 – Draft JCD and CBA final report complete